

SENATE BILL 1848  
By Herron

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 5, relative to the fight against cancer.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 5, is amended by adding the following language as a new part 8:

§68-5-801. This part shall be known and may be cited as the “Anti-Cancer Act of 2005.”

§68-5-802. The commissioner of health and the commissioner of environment and conservation shall establish an advisory committee to make recommendations to fight and reduce cancer in Tennessee to the general assembly. The advisory committee shall include members representing the University of Tennessee Center for Health Sciences and the East Tennessee State University medical school. The advisory committee shall report its recommendations to the general assembly annually on the second Tuesday in January.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.